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**TITLE:** Dual mode cordless telephone in optical fibre communication system transmits telephony signals to subscriber terminal whilst operating in cordless mode, for transmission over optical fibre network, but operates in wireless mode in event of power failure

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